

COLUMBIA GORGE  
EDUCATION SERVICE  
DISTRICT



# WHAT IS AN EDUCATION SERVICE DISTRICT?

- Education Service Districts (ESDs)
  - Publically funded agencies
  - Provide centralized or regional services to multiple school districts

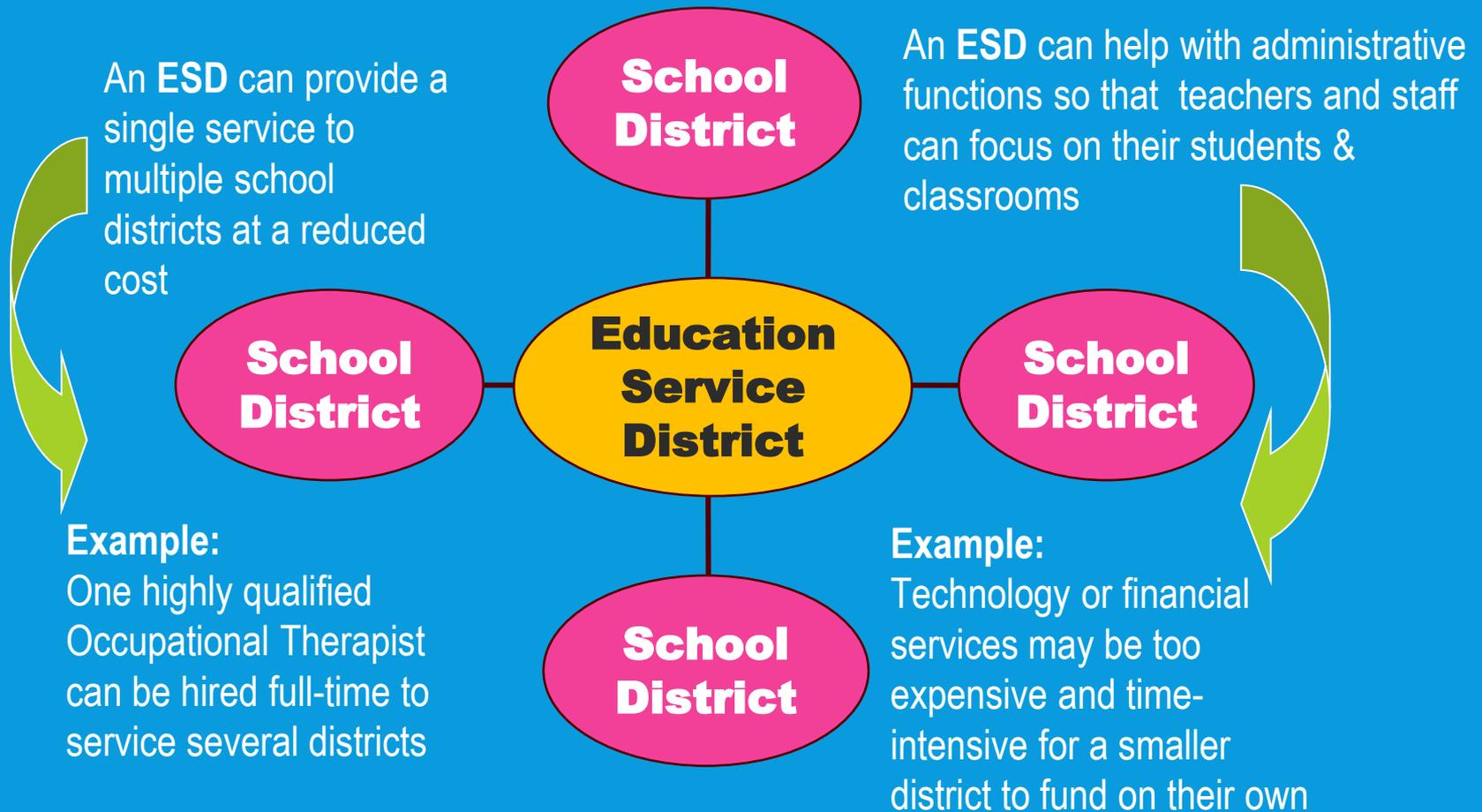
**Children with  
Special Needs**

**Technology**

**School  
Improvement**

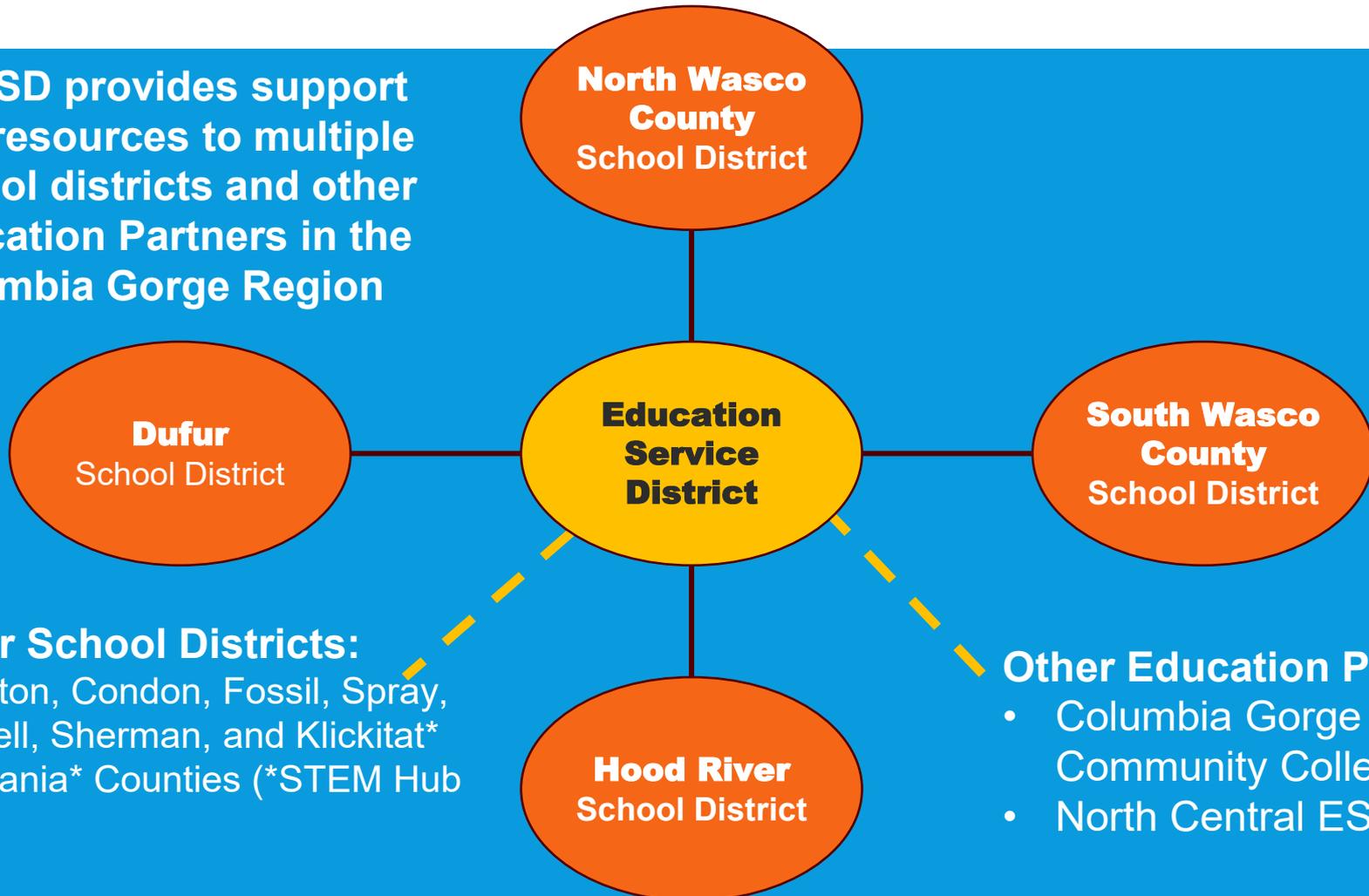
**Administrative  
Services**

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# COLUMBIA GORGE EDUCATION SERVICE DISTRICT (CGESD)

CGESD provides support and resources to multiple school districts and other Education Partners in the Columbia Gorge Region



**North Wasco County**  
School District

**Dufur**  
School District

**Education Service District**

**South Wasco County**  
School District

**Hood River**  
School District

**Other School Districts:**  
Arlington, Condon, Fossil, Spray, Mitchell, Sherman, and Klickitat\* Skamania\* Counties (\*STEM Hub only)

**Other Education Partners**

- Columbia Gorge Community College
- North Central ESD

# COLUMBIA GORGE EDUCATION SERVICE DISTRICT

CGESD creates regional programs that can serve multiple school districts without duplicating costs

We support education and administrative functions with:

- specialized staff
- equipment and systems

Sharing of resources is what makes CGESD so efficient



# CGESD PROVIDES PROGRAMS FOR CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS SERVICES

- Early Intervention (EI) /Early Childhood Special Education (ECSE) Assessment
- Speech-Language Therapy Services
- Evaluation Specialist/School Psychological Services
- Occupational Therapy/ Physical Therapy Services



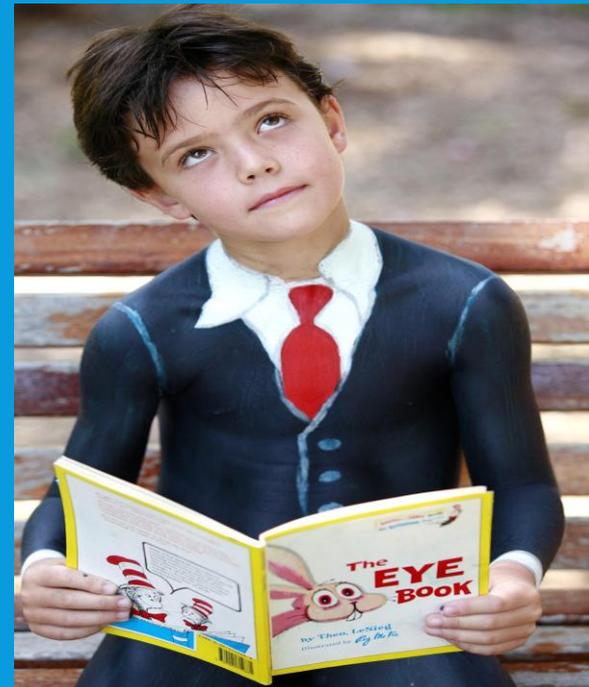
# CGESD PROVIDES TECHNOLOGY SERVICES

- Desktop Support
- Server Administration
- Internet Connectivity and Network Administration
- Cybersecurity Services
- Related Technology Services
- Technology Direction



# CGESD PROVIDES SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT SERVICES

- Education and Innovation Services
- Regional Grants and Initiatives
- Coordination and Support with State Reporting
- Integrated Guidance Support
- Curriculum Adoption Coordination
- Accountability Legislation and Implementation



# COLUMBIA GORGE EDUCATION SERVICE DISTRICT REGIONAL INITIATIVES

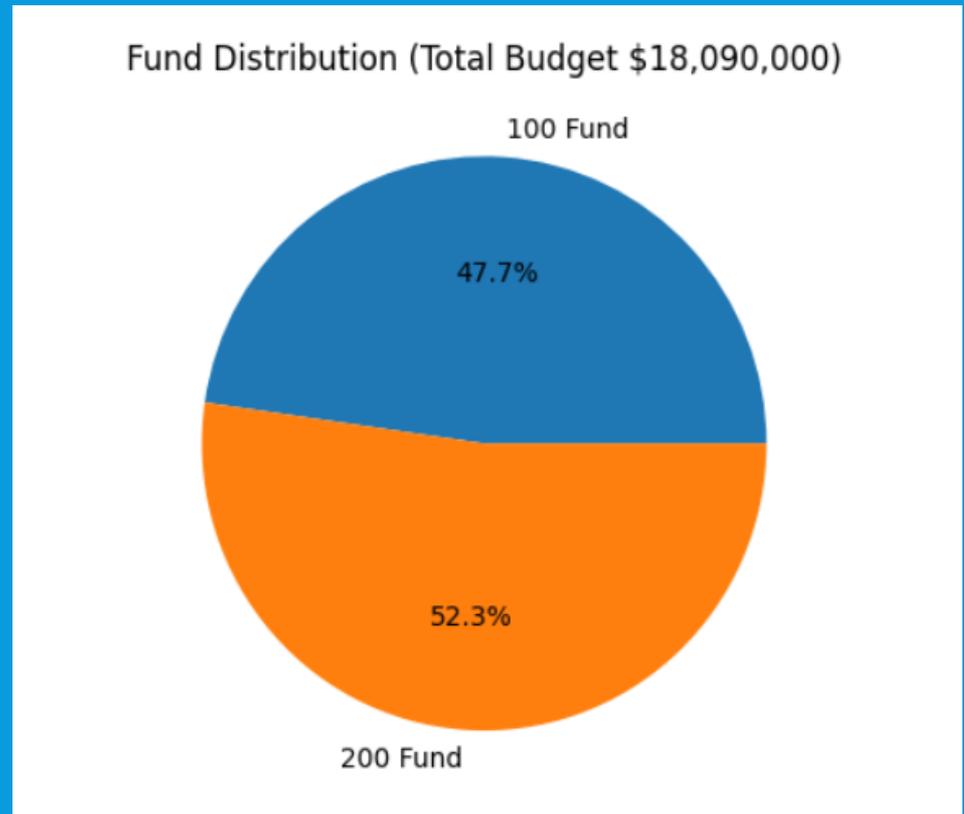
- Early Learning Hub and Parenting Education Hub Coordination
- Columbia Gorge STEM Hub Coordination
- Columbia Regional Educator Network
- Emergency Operations Planning
- Early Intervention/Preschools
- School Safety & Prevention
- 21<sup>st</sup> Century Grant
- Migrant Education
- E-Rate
- Technology Services
- Health Services/Supervision



# CGESD ANNUAL BUDGET

## Key Projects:

- Local Service Plan with School Districts
- State Funding for Regional Initiatives
- State, Federal and Foundation Grants
- Preschool Promise
- Contracts with Districts
- Private Contributions





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Questions?



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# Thank You!

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